

CITY COUNCIL ATLANTA, GEÓRGIA

02- ≥ -**1033**

A RESOLUTION

BY COUNCILMEMBERS

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ENFORCMENT OF LAWS GOVERNING THE COMPLIANCE WITH TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES THROUGH THE USE OF CAMERAS OR OTHER IMAGING TECHNOLOGY AS AUTHORIZED BY STATE LAW.

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City of Atlanta to protect its citizens by the regulation of traffic and the enforcement of laws related to traffic and designed to promote the safety of those who use the streets and roadways within the City of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, the Georgia General Assembly, during the 2001 legislative session, enacted House Bill 678 (Act Number 223), codified as O.C.G.A. δ 40-14-20 *et seq.* and O.C.G.A. δ 40-6-20 which was effective July 1, 2001 and which provides that observance of the law in regard to traffic-control signals may be enforced by the use of certain monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, according to the terms of said legislation, such monitoring devices may be used by a municipality only if the chief law enforcement officer of that municipality desires to use such devices and if the governing authority of said municipality approves the use of said monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, according to the terms of said legislation, prior to entering any contract with any company for the use of such monitoring devices, a public hearing on the proposed use of such devices must be held; and

WHEREAS, the chief law enforcement officer of the City of Atlanta, the Chief of Police, desires the use of such traffic control signal monitoring devices to assist and enhance the enforcement of the law:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, that the City of Atlanta approves the use of traffic-control signal monitoring devices for the enforcement and prosecution of laws and ordinances in regard to obedience to traffic-control devices (O.C.G.A. δ 40-6-20) as provided for in O.C.G.A. δ 40-14-20 et seq., enacted by the 2001 Georgia General Assembly and subject to the provisions for such enforcement in regard to obedience to traffic-control devices as provided in said Code sections.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in accordance with O.C.G.A. δ 40-14-21, a public hearing shall be scheduled to be held by the Atlanta City Council on the proposed use of traffic control signal monitoring devices before the City of Atlanta enters into any contract for use of such devices.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, prior to entry of any contract between the Atlanta Police Department and any vendor of traffic-control monitoring devices, that the City Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare appropriate contracts for said services for execution by the Mayor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, prior to use of any traffic-control signal monitoring devices, the Department of Traffic and Transportation shall be authorized to erect signs on every highway that comprises part of the state highway system at that point on the highway that intersects with the city limits of the City of Atlanta, as provided in O.C.G.A. δ40-14-23.

ADOPTED by the Council APPROVED by the Mayor

JUN 17, 2002 JUN 20, 2002

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

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